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PARIS FOR HEILMAN; BRUSSELS FOR LUCY

SUBJECT: SAHEL FOOD SUPPLY 1974-75

REF: A. ROME 3467; B. ROME 2596

1. OSRO HAS UPDATED CEREALS SUPPLY PLAN, WHICH WILL BE AVAILABLE SHORTLY AND WILL BE POUCHED. MEANTIME A MESSAGE HAS BEEN SENT TO RES REPS (OSRO 627) REQUESTING THEM TO CONFIRM ACCURACY OF SHIPMENT ARRIVAL DATA FOR EACH COUNTRY. THIS BEING SENT SEPTTEL. THE REVISED PLAN TABLE WILL DIFFER FROM CABLE ONLY SLIGHTLY. (US SHIPPING DATES FOR MALI WILL BE CHANGED BUT IN ANY EVENT THESE STILL LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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ARE TENTATIVE).

2. BASIS OF TARGETS IS OF COURSE THE MDM REPORT BUT THERE IS ONE MAJOR POINT OF POTENTIAL CONFUSION DUE TO DIFFERENT HANDLING OF MAURITANIA FIGURES (REF B). MDM SUMMARY FOR REQUIREMENT IS 30 THOUSAND; MATERIAL IN CABLE COMES TO 75 THOUSAND. THE DIFFERENCE IS IN

THE HANDLING OF PORT AND IN COUNTRY STOCKS.

3. USING MARUITANIA 30 THOUSAND, THE MDM FIGURE EXCLUSIVE OF REGIONAL RESERVE IS 274 THOUSAND FOR THE SEVEN COUNTRIES. AGAINST THIS SOME 287,559 IS COMMITTED, INCLUDING 60 THOUSAND NOT YET ALLOCATED BY COUNTRY. HOWEVER, SINCE SUPPLY INDICATIONS FOR SOME COUNTRIES (GAMBIA,

UPPER VOLTA) ALREADY EXCEED TARGET, THE DEFICIT IN OTHER COUNTRIES COMES TO 58,590. THIS FIGURE IS STILL COVERED BY AVAILABILITY NOT YET ALLOCATED BY COUNTRY BUT IT IS NOT LIKELY THAT COUNTRY ALLOCATIONS

WILL FIT THE POSTULATED REQUIREMENTS QUITE THAT NEATLY. (FY. THERE IS CONSIDERABLE SKEPTICISM CONCERNING THE NEED TO FILL THE CALCULATED SENEGAL DEFICIT, BUT FROM ALL INDICATIONS FRANCE, EEC AND BELGIUM WILL

BE SHIPPING THERE ANYWAY).

4. COMMITTED BUT NOT YET ALLOCATED BY COUNTRY INCLUDES FRANCE 19,500, EEC 28 THOUSAND, BELGIUM 9 THOUSAND, CANADA 3,500 TOTAL 60 THOUSAND. IN ADDITION THE EEC HAS 20 THOUSAND IN RESERVE. BEAUDRY

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